Nelden Earl Varney

### Belva B. Varney

Belva Batty Varney, 80, of American Fork, died Jan. 15, 1991, in American Fork.

She was born Nov. 18, 1910, in Wallsburg, the daughter of Ephriam Albert and Polly Anna Lamb ·Batty. She married Neldon Earl Varney, Dec. 8, 1936, in Nephi. Their marriage was later solemnized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple.

She was a member of the American

Fork Fireladies Aux-

iliary for many years, and had worked in the Alpine School Lunch program for 17 years.

She was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

She is survived by one son and three daughters, Gary N. Varney, Mrs. Garth (Echo) Christiansen, Mrs. Robert (Kay) Hall, Mrs. Craig (Jill) Roberts, all of American Fork; 15 grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren; one brother and one sister, Carl Batty, Daniels; Vilate Wall, Wisconsin Rapids, Wis. She was preceded in death by a daughter and a granddaughter.

Funeral will be Friday, 2 p.m. in the American Fork 3rd Ward LDS Chapel, 200 W. 300 N., American Fork. Friends may call at Anderson & Sons Mortuary, 49 E. 100 N., Thursday 6-8 p.m. and one hour prior to service at the church.

Burial in the American Fork Cemetery.

Waite, Cleve Mann Wallsburg
Evelyn Daylene 654-2837
Seth Cleve, Kerri Daylene, Lyie Brent,
Tamralynn, Chrystal D.

Wall Families

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# **Obituaries**



Julia E. Wall

Our beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend, Julia Ercanbrack Wall, 70, passed away Nov. 12, 1995.

Born March 25, 1925, in Goshen, to Otis Lavar and Julia Bartholomew Eranbrack. She grew up in Provo. Married Clyde D. Wall Feb. 9, 1945. Later solem-

nized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary this year. Her life was one of service, compassion and friendship, which will be remembered by many. Served faithfully in many LDS Church callings. Devoted to her family and was an excellent seamstress and quilt maker, and has made many beautiful quilts that will be enjoyed by family and friends.

Survived by husband, Clyde, of Wallsburg; 2 daughters and 2 sons: Mrs. Michael Steele (Gloria), Highland; Mrs. Alan Cottle (Judy), Olympia, WA; Dale C. Wall, Blackfoot, ID; Dean A. Wall, San Ramon, CA. 12 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren. Brothers and sisters: Reed T. Ercanbrack, Ogden; Kenneth Ercanbrack, Santaquin; Grant Ercanbrack, Provo; Rita Whiting, Salt Lake City; Elva Okelberry, Layton; Letha Burgener, Orem.

Funeral services Thursday 12 noon at the Wallsburg Ward Chapel in Wallsburg. Friends may call Wednesday, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., at Olpin Mortuary, Heber City, and at the church Thursday one hour prior to services. Burial will be in the Wallsburg Cemetery.

William O. Mecham, William Wheling, Alton Bigelow, and Bishop J. W. Boyden, 1934-1944 or '45.

-Submitted by Nola Boren

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D. CAMP WRAY AND SUSAN BAKER 93,

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D. Camp Wray and wife. Susan Baker, came from Tennessee in 1880 with six children and lived in Wallsburg about 20 years. D. Camp Wray taught school a short time. Moved to Salt Lake about 1900.